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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Ser. No.: 10/617,236	Filed: July 11, 2003	Examiner: Shaw
Art Unit: 1725	Title: <b>TRANSFORMER MODULE FOR A WELDER</b>	


To the Commissioner for Patents:

Transmitted herewith is an *Response to Office Action* in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated as shown below.

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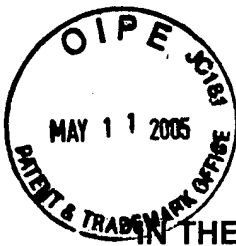
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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

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Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed March 22, 2005, on the above-referenced patent application, Applicant(s) respectfully request reconsideration of the application.

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 4 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 11 of this paper.